

## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS BRIEFS.

Interesting news is "skase."

Frank Moss was in town this week.

C. C. Long has been in Russell this week, doing telephone work.

Get your Sage, Pepper and pure Saltpeter at Jacksons.

Dr. C. A. Thompson is with his sick father in Burk's Garden this week.

T. M. Hawkins, Jr., and his wife, are quite sick at their home on R. R. Avenue.

Note the change in the ads. of Bustin & Sons, Jackson's and Peery & Dodd's.

The Tynes Bros. have an ad in this issue. The boys are doing a nice business already.

Rev. J. N. Harman will preach in the Seminary building on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Geo. W. St. Clair has been quite sick for several days. He has not been able to attend to business.

Doak says he's put out a good deal by Tom Lynch's appointment. He had expected to get Tom to help him hoe corn next spring.

Mrs. Linnie Gillespie, and the baby, of Bluefield, have been visiting B. Gillespie for several days. They returned to Bluefield on Tuesday.

Slade and Hamilton Lee, of Buchanan county, passed through the city today in charge of the sheriff, on their way to the penitentiary.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Attorney H. C. Alderson has refitted his law office with new covering for the floor, and otherwise improved the appearance and comfort of the surroundings.

The first quarterly meeting for this year will be held in the Methodist church at this place Dec. 11th and 12th. Rev. J. Frazier will be present and do the preaching.

Oscar Holley had been "laid up" for several weeks with a rheumatic arm and hand. Oscar is a working man, and to be idle is a punishment of itself to say nothing of his arm.

Capt. Samuel Walton was in town several days this week. He has just returned from his wanderings up and down the Virginia and North Carolina coasts in search of health. He is now robust and strong again.

Don't forget that the people connected with the News office will want and expect something for Christmas. Where are we to get it unless our patrons think of us, and pay up? Echo answers, where?

Miss Belle Holmes, of Witten's Mills, and her sister, Mrs. Perkinson of Charlottesville, daughter of the late Prof. Holmes, were in Tazewell this week shopping and visiting. Mr. F. H. Holmes and his family are living in Gadsden, Ala.

Maj. Brittain and Dr. Raleigh Witten are both confined to their beds with sickness at this time. They are reported better at this writing. At one time their conditions were such as to cause serious apprehensions to their friends.

As we go to press we learn that the Circuit Court of Buchanan has refused John Hardin a new trial. An effort will be made to have the sentence committed to life imprisonment. If this fails he must hang on Dec. 17th.

The following is the amount of taxes levied and collectable in the corporation for the year 1897, on real estate and personal property:

White, \$3145.01.  
Colored, 84.48.

Total \$3229.49.

Messrs. Luther Moore and J. S. Moss have returned from their West Virginia trip. Mr. Moss was looking into the sheep and cattle trade, and Mr. Moore was prospecting with a view of locating in Monroe county. He found no place to suit him. After a man has lived in Tazewell as long as Moore has he is hard to please elsewhere.

**CASTORIA.**  
The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Mr. T. M. Hawkins, Sr., Mrs. Millard and Mrs. Peck, Mr. W. N. Surface and Rev. W. C. Foster have all returned from the large Baptist meeting at Roanoke. Bro. Hawkins and Mrs. Millard remained several days visiting relatives. From what Mr. Hawkins said to us we would not be surprised to hear of his visiting Roanoke again in the early future. He was assigned a home with some estimable unmarried ladies, "Just about the right age."

Sick poison is a poison which makes you sick. It comes from the stomach. The stomach makes it out of undigested food.

The blood gets it and taints the whole body with it. That's the way of it.

The way to be rid of it is to look after your digestion.

If your food is all properly digested there will be none left in the stomach to make sick poison out of.

If your stomach is too weak to see to this properly by itself, help it along with a few doses of Shaker Digestive Cordial.

That's the cure of it.

Shaker Digestive Cordial is a delicious, healthful, tonic cordial, made of pure medical plants, herbs and wine.

It positively cures indigestion and prevents the formation of sick poison.

At druggists. Trial bottles 10 cents.

**Planters CUBANOIL** cures Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Rheumatism and Sores. Price, 25 cents.

### Christmas Ads.

It is none too soon to be getting your ads ready for Christmas. A good deal of our space has already been engaged.

### Sent to the Pen.

Hamilton and Slade Lee, brothers, who murdered Charles in Buchanan last May, were sentenced to three years each in the penitentiary, last week, at the Buchanan County Court. Judge J. H. Stuart tried the case. Maj. R. R. Henry, conducted the defence. Preston Lee, tried for complicity in the crime was acquitted.

### Prof. C. Shelburn.

Prof. Shelburn, who once lived among us, preached the Thanksgiving Sermon at the union services held in the Vermont Avenue Christian church, Washington, D. C., on Nov. 26th. Revs. Power, Snow, Bagby, Wright and Schell, prominent ministers, took part in the service. The Washington Post gives a lengthy extract of the sermon, which was a fine one, judging from the extract.

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### A Day of Feasting.

A notable event of Thanksgiving day was a dining at the splendid and hospitable country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Watts, about five miles from town. Here are the names of the people who were lucky enough to be present: Hon. A. St. Clair, Walter Saunders, E. King Crockett, A. J. Tynes, A. J. and S. D. May, T. A. Lynch and G. W. Doak. We have asked several parties to furnish us with the bill of fare served on the occasion, but they have declined to undertake an impossible task. Mrs. Watts is famous as an hostess, and it is only necessary to state, as we have done, the names of the parties, and the place of dining and your imagination will do the rest. Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Watts' mother, and two brothers were visiting her at the time, and it was in their honor the dinner was given.

A pleasant day was also had at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Dodd, on Tazewell Avenue. Mrs. Dr. Thompson, Mrs. Doak and Mrs. Lynch, Henry Harman and John Bottinore ate turkey and other good things from the heavily laden table of Mrs. Dodd. A good day was had.

By its Record of remarkable cures Hood's Sarsaparilla has become the one true blood purifier prominently in the public eye. Get only Hood's.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. 25c.

## SEND US YOUR ORDERS

FOR

## HOLIDAY -- GOODS.

We carry the Largest, Handsomest and Most Complete line of Books Stationary, Fancy Goods, Sporting Goods, Silver Novelties, Leather Goods, Cut Glass, China Ware, Pictures, Gold Pens, Fountain Pens, Lamps, Cutlery, Bibles, Prayer and Hymnals, and Thousands of presents for the Holidays. If you send us an order, saying what you want, about what you wish to pay for it, and how you wish it sent—and the goods and prices are not satisfactory, the money will be refunded promptly. If you are in Roanoke, drop in our place and let us show our goods and give you prices that will open your eyes.

The Fishburn Company

10 Campbell Ave., Roanoke, Va.

# NEW GROCERY

—ON—

## Tazewell Avenue.

We have just opened our store on Tazewell Avenue. We have a nice fresh line of staple and fancy Groceries. We pay cash for our goods, and sell at low prices. Sole agents in Tazewell for the Straight Grade Flour, made at the C. A. Fudge Roller Mills. This flour is giving universal satisfaction. Price \$5.50 per barrel. Purchases delivered promptly.

Tynes Bros.,

TAZEWELL, VA.

Mrs. Lou McCall.

The sad intelligence of the death of this estimable lady reached town last Saturday. The sad event occurred at her home near Shradors, at 5 o'clock last Saturday morning. Mrs. McCall was the wife of R. G. McCall, a well known citizen of this county. She was a young and beautiful woman, a devoted Christian, and a faithful wife and mother. Three children, little boys, and her devoted husband and a large circle of relatives and friends mourn her death. Rev. A. M. Ferguson conducted the funeral services last Sunday morning.

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Nearly Finished.

The painters, carpenters and plasterers are putting in good time on the new Moss & Greener building. The house will not only be pleasing to the eye when finished, but a model of convenience and strength. The building is three stories, including the basement, with an elevator running all the way up and all the way down.

The counters, which are now being put in, are the prettiest we have seen for a long time. They are beautifully finished in quartered oak, and when oiled and finished will present fine appearance.

### How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; if your stomach be disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys be affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alternative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at Jno. E. Jackson's drug store. 50 cents per bottle.

### House Burned.

Gus Helmsdollar, who lived on the mountain south of town, got his house burned last week. He lost all his goods, including his winter's supply of corn, which was stored in the house.

### To Cure A Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

**Planters NUBIAN TEA** cures Dyspepsia, Constipation and Indigestion. Regulates the Liver. Price, 25 cts.

**PISO'S CURE FOR**  
CURES WHEEZE ALL ELSE FAILS.  
Best Cough Syrup. Throat Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.  
**CONSUMPTION**

### Mr. T. A. Lynch Appointed.

Mr. Lynch left on Tuesday of this week for Richmond to accept the position as clerk to one of the Senate committees. The friends of the gentleman will be glad to hear of his preferment. He will do service the honor and the place. No man in the party has worked harder for its success through thick and thin than he has. He has made politics a study, and no man in the district probably is better posted on affairs connected with politics than is he. Mr. Lynch will spend his holidays at home, and returning, will take Mrs. Lynch with him, and remain until the close of the term.

**A CLEAR HEAD;**  
good digestion; sound sleep; a fine appetite and a ripe old age, are some of the results of the use of Tutt's Liver Pills. A single dose will convince you of their wonderful effects and virtue.

**A Known Fact.**  
An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, malaria, sour stomach, dizziness, constipation bilious fever, piles, torpid liver and all kindred diseases.

**Tutt's Liver Pills**

### Roll of Honor.

Benbow, Va., Dec. 1, 1897.—The following pupils in school No. 37, made an average from 90 to 100 deportment, and from 85 to 95 grade for school month one & two:

Mattie Boling, Allie Buchanan, Allen Buchanan, Archie Buchanan, Blanche Buchanan, Hayter Buchanan, Grace Buchanan, Charles Buchanan, Ella Buchanan, Chancelleum Buchanan, Mollie Buchanan, Estel Davis, George Johnson, Vicie Kinder, Jennie Kinder, Allen Kinder, Lillie Leece, Mattie Bell Leece, Frazier Mathews, Doak Mathews, esse Mathews, Katherine Rich, Rose Witten. MARY RITTER, Teacher.

## No Gripe

When you take Hood's Pills. The big, old-fashioned, sugar-coated pills, which tear you all to pieces, are not in it with Hood's. Easy to take

**Hood's Pills**  
and easy to operate, is true of Hood's Pills, which are up to date in every respect. Safe, certain and sure. All druggists. 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Tell me what you eat, and I'll tell you what you are," said a great scientist. We all know that food influences habit if not character.

An up-to-date high-grade grocery store is therefore a blessing to any community.

We offer several new specialties to our customers; viz. Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, palatable, nutritious, light and short—a new delicacy, which we feel sure will please the most fastidious taste, 15 cents per box. Nice fresh Mince Meat in 2 lb. cans, for a dime. Boston Baked Beans in 3 lb. cans, for a dime. Try these goods once. We also have a nice lot of Flaked and Pearl Hominy, and Grits, and all the standard Staple and Fancy groceries.

BUSTON & SONS.  
Tazewell, Va.

## If You Will Need any Stationary Soon NOTICE THIS

100 lbs. Good Note Paper, 12c. per lb.  
100 boxes Best Grades Paper and Envelopes, at 15c.  
100 Very Fine 1 lb. boxes, at 30c.  
A Good Linen Tablet only 5c. Plenty of other kinds also.

We are Headquarters for Christmas Goods this year.  
JNO. E. JACKSON, Druggist,  
Tazewell, Va.

## POBST & WINGO, JEWELERS...

—AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF—

Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Queensware, China, Confectioneries, Stationeries, Books, Cigars, Tobacco, Fishing Tackle, Base Ball Goods, Musical Supplies, &c.

OUR STOCK IN EVERY LINE IS COMPLETE. PRICES VERY LOW

Call and examine our stock. No trouble to show goods.

### Brick Store to Rent.

We want to rent the nice large new brick store and dwelling situated at the head of Tazewell Avenue. The house has good living rooms, bath room &c. above store, large lot, and is very desirable. Rent low. Call on or address, News office.

### YOUR FORTUNE

Is your health. Your happiness is your strength. Keep the Head and Throat clear and healthy and your mind and brain is always at rest and sane. CUSHMAN'S MENTHOL INHALENT is the greatest relief to mankind in all head troubles. CURES COUGHS, SORE THROAT, CATARRH. That awful odor of Catarrh disappears by its use. Wonderful in Hay Fever and Asthma. **BUY ONLY CUSHMAN'S.** If you can't get it at druggists send for it. By mail, 25 cents. Send for Book on Health, free. CUSHMAN DRUG CO., VINCKEN, IND., U. S. A.

**Planters CUBAN RELIEF** cures Colic, Neuralgia and Toothache in five minutes. Sour Stomach and Summer Complaints. Price, 25 Cents.